

Appl. No. 09/981,626  
Amdt. dated September 11, 2009  
Reply to Office Action of May 11, 2009

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No.: 027392-000410US

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Peter MELCHIOR

Application No.: 09/981,626

Filed: October 16, 2001

For: PURCHASE ORDER  
AMENDMENT AND NEGOTIATION  
IN A FULL SERVICE TRADE SYSTEM

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 7032

Examiner: Paul R. Fisher

Technology Center/Art Unit: 3689

AMENDMENT WITH RCE UNDER 37  
C.F.R. §1.114

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 11, 2009, the period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, and in consideration of the August 11, 2009 personal interview with the Examiners and the attached Request for Continued Examination, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.